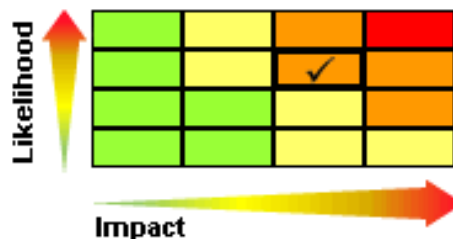
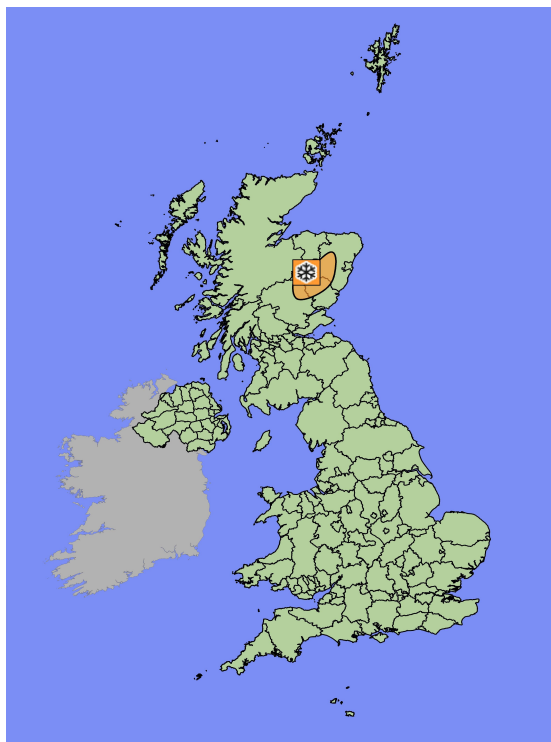




National Severe Weather Warning Service



Chief Forecasters Assessment

A feed of wintry showers, whilst sleety towards some coasts, will fall largely as snow inland, with some significant snowfall expected through the rest of Friday and into Saturday morning.

The Met Office have issued an **Amber Warning of Snow**

Valid from **15:00 on Fri, 18th Jan 2013** until **09:00 on Sat, 19th Jan 2013**

Frequent and occasionally heavy snow showers are expected through the rest of this afternoon and overnight into Saturday morning. Accumulations of 5 to 10 cm are expected in places with 15 cm possible over higher ground. Additionally, there will be drifting of lying snow in the strong to gale force southeasterly winds.

The public should be aware of the risk of significant travel disruption.

For more details please go to:

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Issued by the Met Office at 11:25 on Fri, 18th Jan 2013

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